INSTRUCTIONS FOR YOUR

HOOVER® HANDIVAC CLEANER

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A - Insert handle into opening, lining up slots in handle latch ring and opening. Fit metal projection into slot. Turn handle latch ring clockwise to secure handle. To remove. turn handle latch ring counterclockwise until slot lines up with metal proiection and slide handle off

NOZZLE

LATCH RING

HANDLE LATCH RING SWITCH



STORING THE CORD

When your Handivac cleaner is not in use, wrap the cord around the two cord clips as shown in illustration.



BRUSH

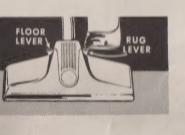
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B — To attach floor and rug nozzle, line up slots in nozzle latch ring and opening. Attach nozzle, fitting metal projection into slot. Turn nozzle latch ring clockwise to secure nozzle. To remove, turn nozzle latch ring counterclockwise until slot lines up with metal projection and slide nozzle off.

CAUTION: POTENTIAL SHOCK HAZARD

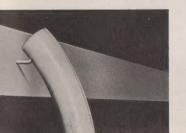
This vacuum cleaner is not intended to be used where water may be present. Carpeting will retain moisture long after it has been wet. This vacuum cleaner should not be used on wet or moist carpeting outdoors.











OPERATE CLEANER ONLY AT VOLTAGE SPECIFIED ON DATA PLATE ADJACENT TO HANDLE.

USING THE NEW HANDIVAC CLEANER

The combination rug and floor nozzle has been designed to do an efficient cleaning job on both carpets and hard surface floors.

HARD SURFACE FLOORS

Put the brush in the floor position by pushing in the lever marked "FLOOR" with your toe until you hear a click.

RUGS

Put brush in floating position by pushing lever marked "RUG" in with your toe until you hear a click. You will find it convenient to use only one hand when operating the cleaner on rugs and carpets.

On certain types of dense carpeting, you may find it advantageous to keep brush in a position where it does not come in contact with carpet. This is done by pushing in on the lever marked "RUG", then pressing the brush all the way into the nozzle with your finger. While still holding the brush, press lever marked "FLOOR" and the brush will be locked in place. To release brush, push in on lever marked "RUG".

For more efficient cleaning, do not place the nozzle flat on the rug. Tilt the nozzle so the back edge is raised slightly above the rug.

CLEANING UNDER LOW FURNITURE

The floor and rug nozzle of the Handivac cleaner is on a swivel for ease in cleaning under low furniture and hard-to-reach-areas. Turn handle in either direction to swivel nozzle.

HANG YOUR HANDIVAC CLEANER ON A HOOK

To save valuable storage area in your home, hang the Handivac cleaner on a hook. There is an opening located near the top of the handle for this purpose.

THROW-AWAY BAGS

For top efficiency, use only genuine Hoover Throw-Away Bags. Hoover bags can be identified by the trademarks. —

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WHERE TO BUY BAGS

Bags may be purchased from your local Authorized Hoover Dealer, or from Hoover Factory Service Stations listed on the white insert. When ordering bags, be sure to give the model of your cleaner.



DISCONNECT CORD BEFORE REPLACING PARTS

CHANGING THE BAG

- 1. Turn cleaner upside down and release the two metal latches. (See Fig. 1.)
- 2. Lift the bag assembly cover from the cleaner.



- Remove bag by slipping it off of the open side of the metal bag support.
- 4. Install new bag in bag support, matching rounded sections of bag collar and bag support. (See Fig. 2.) Grasp bottom of bag and pull bag down between supports.

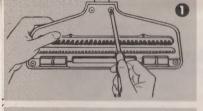


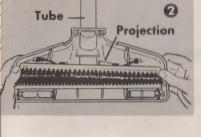
5. Replace bag assembly cover and close metal latches.

SECONDARY FILTER

Check the secondary filter when replacing the throw-away bag. If filter is dirty, it should be cleaned by brushing dirt from the surface. Periodically, the filter should be replaced. Remove old filter. Apply household glue. (See Fig. 3.) Replace new filter, lining up three slots in filter with bag support rods. (See Fig. 4.)



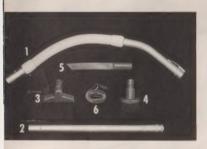




REPLACING BRUSH ON RUG AND FLOOR NOZZLE

Replace the brush on the rug and floor nozzle when it becomes worn and is not doing a satisfactory job of cleaning.

- Remove four screws and take off bottom plate. If nozzle is turned over and rollers fall off, put them back in position. Note position of old brush, then remove it. (Fig. 1.)
- Center new brush in the nozzle. Make sure that projection side is toward the tube. (Fig. 2.) Replace bottom plate. If bristles are caught beneath the bottom plate, disengage with any thin tool.



THE CLEANING TOOLS

Model 2921 kit (available at additional cost) provides tools for above-floor cleaning.

- 1. ULTRAFLEX® HOSE For flexibility in using cleaning tools.
- EXTENSION WAND When you require extra length for cleaning bare floors or hard-to-reach places, attach the extension wand.
- 3. UPHOLSTERY NOZZLE For upholstered furniture, draperies, tapestries, mattresses, clothing, automobile interiors, stairs.
- 4. DUSTING BRUSH For carved furniture, table tops, books, lamps, light fixtures, Venetian blinds, registers, baseboards.
- CREVICE TOOL For upholstered furniture, edges of wall-towall carpeting, radiators, dresser drawers.
- CARRYING STRAP For use as an over-the-shoulder type of cleaner.







ATTACHING CLEANING TOOLS

Remove handle and floor and rug nozzle from cleaner. Attach carrying strap by slipping plastic loop of strap over hose tube before tube is attached to cleaner. Attach metal clip in holes provided in cleaner handle.

Attach ultraflex hose in same manner as floor and rug nozzle. If extra length is needed, attach extension wand.

Tools may be attached to the extension wand, ultraflex hose, or the cleaner.

SERVICE

Service and genuine Hoover replacement parts may be obtained from Hoover Factory Service Stations or Authorized Warranty Service Dealers, as listed on white insert.

For service in Warranty, follow instructions set forth in Guarantee.

When ordering new parts, make sure that you always mention the model number of the product.

LUBRICATION

The motor is equipped with two Sleeve Bearings. They are lubricated for the life of the motor and it will not be necessary to lubricate them; in fact, the addition of lubricant to the Sleeve Bearing could cause damage.

HOOVER PRODUCTS













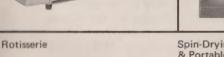
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Spin-Drying Washer & Portable Dryer



Power Drive Dial-A-Matic Cleaner



Floor-A-Matic Rug & Floor Conditioner



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